



Lee Public Library Bookworm Digest



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April Artist

Marion Martin, Michelle's grandmother, is our featured artist for this month. She was a self-taught wood carver who grew up around wood and loved nature. Her father owned a sawmill in Pittsfield, NH and her husband worked at logging camps.



April 2016

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Lee in the 17th Century

Robert Wadleigh, Wadleigh Falls and the Royal Province of NH

Presented by David Meeker

Wednesday, April 6 @ 7 p.m.

Lee Safety Complex



New Hampshire became an independent royal province in the 17th century at a time of great political instability in the English world. That century included a civil war, execution of Charles I, Puritan government, and restoration of Charles II. Despite the distance and difficulties in travel and communication across the N. Atlantic, the events in England stimulated and were stimulated by events in New England. It is this two-way interaction and the connections it had with Robert Wadleigh, his family and friends, and his enemies that are the focus of this talk.

Cosponsored by the Lee Historical Society and the Lee Public Library.

Healthy Soil - Repairing Soil

Monday, April 25

7—8:30 p.m.

Jeremiah Smith Grange



Dorn Cox, Director of Green Start and Daimon Meeh, Field Specialist, UNH are our featured speakers for the evening. Can crop rotation, cover and companion crop using mixed agriculture, help to repair our soil? What about no-till, strip-till or sub-soiling? Do soil amendments help? Join us for the evening to learn the answers.

Sponsored by the Backyard Farming Initiative of the Lee Agricultural Commission and the Lee Public Library.

Hours

Monday
12-8 p.m.

Tuesday
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12-8 p.m.

Thursday
10-5 p.m.

Friday
10-5 p.m.

Saturday
10-3 p.m.

Adult Programs

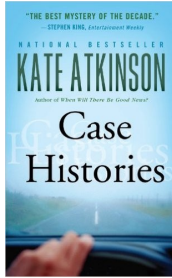
Adult Book Discussion

Monday, April 11

7 p.m.

“Case Histories”

Kate Atkinson



The novel is not your typical crime genre fare, it's also a series of family sagas with strong moral frameworks. Atkinson delineates each character with great empathy and depth, revealing his or her motivations, flaws, and healing.

Copies of the book are available at the library. All are welcome to participate.

No Foolin' Just Fun: Adult Game Day

Tuesdays 9:30 a.m.

Come and make new friends and learn some new games! Open to all adults 18 and older.



Knitting Get Together

Tuesday Evenings

6:30-8:00 p.m.

Come and join other knitters for an evening of knitting and socializing.



Knitting for 50+

1st and 3rd Wednesdays of Each Month

9 a.m.

A drop-in group will meet at the library on Wednesday, April 6 & 20. Help is available from instructor, Donna Kay. All levels welcome.



Offered by the Senior Advisory Committee and the Lee Public Library.

Ikebana: The Art of Japanese Flower Arranging

Tuesday, April 26

7 p.m.

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Holly O. Harris' formal training in the 330 year tradition of Japanese Flower Arranging began 15 years ago when she started lessons with Ritsuko Chojin in the Kittery Point Ikebana Ikenobo chapter. She has been an active member ever since. Ms. Harris will give a brief description of the philosophy and history of Ikebana. The presentation will feature her demonstration of an Ikebana arrangement.



Children's Programs

Story Time

Story times for children **ages 2-6** are held on Thursday and Friday mornings at 10:30 a.m. These fun 30-40 minute programs include stories, songs, finger plays, flannel board and a craft. Registration is not required.



Library Legos



Back by popular demand, we are offering another session of Library Legos. Kids in grades 1-4 can have fun building cool stuff. The program will run for 6 consecutive Fridays from 3:30-4:30 p.m. beginning **April 22 and ending May 27**. Registration is not required. Mast Way students can ride **bus 6** directly to the library.

Ribbet, Ribbet Frog Walk Friday, April 8 3:30-4:30 p.m.



Join us for a frog story and frog walk to a local bog led by Catherine Fisher of the Lee Conservation Committee. For **preschool-grade 4**. Mast Way students may ride **bus 6** directly to the library, accompanied by a note giving permission to do so. **Please register.**

Musician Keith Munslow Thursday, April 28 10:30 a.m. Lee Safety Complex



Join us for musician Keith Munslow's rollicking, interactive show. You will be delighted with his unique mix of funny, original songs and stories. **This performance is cosponsored by the Friends of the Lee library and the Madbury and Durham public libraries.**

Rockin' Readers Book Club

For 5th and 6th graders, this club meets **the first Thursday** of each month from 3-4 p.m. Participants will read and discuss a different book each month. And - pizza will be served! Students may arrange to take **bus 22** directly to the library after school. If interested, **sign up** by calling 659-2626.



Story Trekkers

This program for **ages 6-10** will be held on **Tuesday afternoons from 3:30-4:30 p.m.** Children will be introduced to a variety of authors and award-winning books. A snack, games and a craft will also be included. Mast Way students may arrange to ride **bus 6** directly to the library after school. **Please register** by calling 659-2626.



Babysitting Class Saturday, April 16 10 a.m.



This course is designed to certify kids who are looking to, or already babysit. They will get a CPR and First Aid certification, learn about safety, how to handle emergencies, care and feeding of infants and children, the business aspects of being a babysitter, and more. All students will receive a Babysitting certification. **Fee is \$35. Please bring lunch, drink and snack to class.**

Froggie Fun-Vacation Week Craft
We'll be hearing peepers again soon. Stop by the library (**April 23-30**) and make a frog friend to take home with you.





April 2016 Calendar of Events



Children's Programs

Story Time

Thursday and Friday mornings
10:30 a.m.

April 7/8 - **Dogs**



April 14/15- **Spring**



April 21/22 - **Rainy**



Days

Story Trekkers

Tuesdays 3:30-4:30 p.m.

April 5 - **Magic**



April 12 - **Springtime**



April 19 - **Insects**

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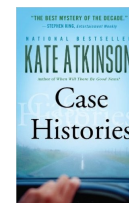


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